STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

DOCKET NO. RPU-02-3

INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT
COMPANY

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

(Issued April 23, 2002)

On April 4, 2002, the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 204 (Local 204), filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a petition to intervene in Interstate Power and Light Company's (Interstate Power) pending electric rate case, identified as Docket No. RPU-02-3. No objections to the petition to intervene have been filed.

In support of its petition to intervene, Local 204 states that it is the duly authorized representative of over 1,000 employees of Interstate Power. On behalf of those employees, Local 204 has continuing dealings and negotiations with Interstate Power.

The petition to intervene will be granted. Local 204 has demonstrated a unique interest in these proceedings that should be represented.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The petition to intervene filed by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 204, on April 4, 2002, is granted.

	UTILITIES BOARD
	/s/ Diane Munns
ATTEST:	/s/ Mark O. Lambert
/s/ Judi K. Cooper Executive Secretary	/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of April, 2002.